

House Resolution No. 4518

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exemplary citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Perry Johnson has attained considerable distinction as a Sergeant with the Saint Louis Police Department; and

Whereas, a police officer since October 1992, Sergeant Johnson has been assigned as an instructor with the Saint Louis Police Academy for the past four years, during which time he has taught courses in Criminal Investigations, Patrol, Racial Profiling, Use of Force, Defensive Tactics, Law, and other topics; and

Whereas, as a member of the teaching staff at the Saint Louis Police Academy, Sergeant Johnson also has created various courses that can be taught to the private security sector as well as courses designed to inform and educate the public on aspects of the police community; and

Whereas, Sergeant Johnson recently became involved in the Citizens Police Academy, a nine-week-long program of study for civilians who are interested in learning more about the public safety career field and how police departments function; and

Whereas, the Citizens Police Academy will hold graduation ceremonies on September 21, 2005, to honor this year's first group of twelve students who have successfully completed its nine weeks of study after nomination for the program by the Captains of the Saint Louis Police Department's districts; and

Whereas, Sergeant Johnson is justifiably proud to be known as the beloved husband of Stephanie, whom he married on July 9, 1994, and the loving father of Perry, Jr., and Taylor:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to salute Sergeant Perry Johnson and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations for a highly successful Citizens Police Academy whose 2005-1 class will graduate on September 21, 2005; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Sergeant Perry Johnson of Saint Louis, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Robin Wright-Jones
District No. 63

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4518, adopted September 20, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker